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In re U.S. Patent Application of BAN et al. Application Number: 10/078,475 Application Number: 10/078,475 Filed: February 21, 2002 For: Health Management Support Method, System and Healthy Life Expectancy Prediction Data Generation Method and System Attorney Docket No. HITA.0173									
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